

Subdivision Plat

Includes:
Preliminary & Final Plats
Amended Plats
Lot Splits & Lot Line Adjustments

Condominium Plat

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DESCRIPTION OF ITEMS

The items identified on the Planning Application form appear below, in alphabetical order, with a more detailed description. NOTE: Font size for all notes on 8 ½ " x 11" reductions must be at least 6 point. Drawings shall bear the mark of the registrant responsible for the documents. Drawings shall be un-bound and un-mounted. Please consult with the Planning Staff at 350-8331 if you have any questions.

Building Elevations: black and white: Elevations include black and white line drawings of all four sides of all building(s) proposed, showing the grade, major dimensions, exterior materials and architectural character.

Building Elevations, colored: Elevation drawings shall indicate shade and shadow, and landscaping within 25 foot of the building. Color elevations may be in the form of a 24" x 36" electronic media, black-line print colored with pencil, magic marker or similar media.

Building Sections: A blackline plan, drawn to scale and fully dimensioned showing the spaces, walls, floor, slab, roofs, partitions, doors and windows, building structural elements, vertical circulation, other major elements of building design, floor to floor dimensions, and mechanical equipment, in relationship to parapet.

Floor Plans: Schematic drawings of each floor of each building in a blackline format with all dimensions shown.

General Plan Maps: A black and white graphic illustrating the existing zoning and the existing and proposed land use and density designations for the subject property (identified) and surrounding properties.

Graphics/Photographs: A series of context graphics, plans or photographs that show the relationship of the subject site (identified) to surrounding properties.

Landscape Plan: A blackline plan showing the trees, ground covers and vines by size, quantity, names and general location, include a separate plant legend. Indicate conceptual locations of site lighting.

Letter of Explanation: A letter from the applicant to the appropriate Board/Commission explaining the project and its intent. The Letter of Explanation varies in content with each request (See specific requirements of letter within the attachments pertaining to your request). All letters must be signed by the applicant or representative.

Material Sample Board: 8.5" x 14" x 1" maximum dimension. Provide samples of exterior building materials and paint samples ("keyed" to the building elevations). Display samples on a foam core board / base. Include information about the project name, address, architect/designer, material, manufacturer, name of material, Light Reflectance Value (LRV) for paints.

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Neighborhood Meeting Requirement: Applicants are responsible for organizing a neighborhood meeting when the property is located within 300' of a residential use, for requests that include variances, development plans when a public hearing is required, planned area development overlays, zoning map amendments, and general plan map amendments. **NOTE:** A neighborhood meeting is required prior to processing your request. Review the requirements found in the Zoning and Development, Sec. 6-402. Evidence shall be provided to staff verifying that the neighborhood meeting requirements were met. This includes a copy of the dated letter sent, and visual evidence of the meeting sign with posting date.

Ownership List/Mailing Labels: Includes typed or printed adhesive labels containing names and mailing addresses of property owners within a radius of 300 feet from the subject boundaries; and the names and mailing addresses of all tenants within the boundary of the parcel(s); Names and mailing addresses of all registered Neighborhood Associations and Home Owner Associations within the vicinity (contact Planning Division for a listing 480-350-8331). Correct Zip Codes must be shown for each address. Also submit a copy of the Mailing Labels sheet(s) for the file record.

Ownership Map: A map drawn to scale, at least 8.5" x 11", showing all parcels in the vicinity adjacent to and surrounding the property, within a radius of 300' from the property boundaries.

NOTE: The Applicant must submit a signed Affidavit of Public Hearing Notification for Property Ownership List and Map (located in attachments) in addition to the Ownership Map.

Preliminary Grading & Drainage: A blackline plan, fully dimensioned showing the location of retention areas, slope and depth, cross sections, flow patterns, and top of curb.

Project Submittal Form: The required project and applicant information on this form must be completed, signed by the applicant, and submitted with all other required items listed on the Planning Application / Checklist.

Property Owner Information / Authorization: A letter verifying the current property owner(s) at the proposed location. If the Property Owner is not the applicant identified on the Project Submittal Form, the Property Owner(s) must include a statement authorizing the applicant to file the specific request. The letter should include:

Property Owner Information

- Name
- Address and/or parcel number of the proposed property
- Current mailing address including City, State, and Zip Code
- Phone
- Fax
- Email address

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DESCRIPTION OF ITEMS (continued)

Sign Drawings: Sign drawings with the following items must be submitted.

- Two copies (one in color)
- One 8 ½" x 11" matte finish PMT (or original laser print) with 6 point font. NOTE: All documents shall have black continuous lines on a white background which provide a crisp clean image when copied.
- Drawings must be to scale and indicate the following for each sign proposed:
 - Exact lettering styles to be used
 - All sign copy
 - True sign colors
 - Method of illumination
 - Number of sign faces
 - How sign will be mounted
 - Height of sign
 - Dimensions of sign
 - Sign area
 - Sign materials
 - Accurate building elevation showing where sign(s) will be located on the building.

Site Plan: A blackline plan with site data (see Site Data Required on Page 5), showing the proposed configuration for buildings, parking, walkways and landscaped areas on the property. Other site plan information may be required for the following application types:

- Planned Area Development Overlay: The site plan requires a comparison chart of the modified standards from the previous standards. Larger PAD sites may require additional sheets in order to provide all information in a legible format for final reductions (8½" x 14" photo reduced positive). In addition, a PAD cover sheet with specific details of the site (see example) is required and placed before the site plan drawings.
- Signs: If applying for a sign variance or sign Development Plan Review, the site plan must also show where the sign(s) are located on the property.
- Use Permit: 24" x 36" site plans are not required when submitting for a Use Permit. However, the 24" x 36" site plan may be required subject to staff's review of the remaining required items. If required, staff will contact the applicant requesting this item.

Subdivision/Condo Plat: A blackline plan in engineered format, showing all property lines to be created. Refer to Tempe Subdivision Ordinance 99.21 for details & contact Engineering Department, Land Services Division at 350-8200.

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SITE DATA REQUIRED

- A. Submitted by (name, address, phone).
- B. Project Name.
- C. Site Address.
- D. Scale, North arrow. (up or right)
- E. Location Map, oriented the same direction. (north up or right)
- F. Property lines/lease lines/phase lines.
 - 1. Fully dimensioned
 - 2. Street R.O.W./alleys/easements
 - Setbacks
- G. Legal Description.
- H. General Plan Projected Land Use and Projected Density.
- I. Zoning (existing and proposed).
- J. Parcel Size (net & gross)
- K. Building area, % of lot coverage, height of bldg., number of stories.
- L. Type of construction per Building Code.
- M. Whether proposed building will be equipped with an automatic fire extinguishing system.
- N. Proposed uses.
- O. Number and type of residential units, if applicable.
- P. Density, if applicable.
- Q. Parking required and provided, (tabulate per use/area excluding thickness of exterior walls)
- R. Landscaping on-site, required and provided by % of site. (also indicate landscaping proposed in right-of-way)
- S. List all use permits, variances requested, or for PAD Overlay Districts, provide a comparison chart of the proposed development standards with the code standards. (see "Letter of Explanation")
- T. Closest fire hydrant.
- U. All existing and proposed refuse enclosures.
- V. All streets, medians and driveways (both sides of street) within 125' of property.

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PROCEDURE AFTER SUBMITTAL

Preliminary Discussion: Preliminary Site Plan Review is intended to acquaint the prospective applicant with the requirements of the Zoning and Development Code ("ZDC"), General Plan, and other relevant city policies and regulations. Applications may be requested by the applicant for any matter, but the Preliminary Site Plan Review is required for annexations, general plan amendments, PAD overlays, zoning map changes, and subdivisions prior to formal application.

Scheduling on Agenda: Applications will be scheduled for a regular meeting with the appropriate decision-making body only when all required materials have been received.

Staff Report: A staff report on each project will be available on the Friday preceding the regular meeting. This will be mailed, along with a copy of the Agenda, to both the "owner" and "applicant" as listed on the Project Submittal Form and Property Owner Information/Authorization letter, unless staff is requested to hold for pickup in person.

Officer/Board/Commission Meeting: All meetings are held at the Tempe Municipal Building in the City Council Chambers at 31 E. Fifth Street, unless otherwise noted. The Officer / Board / Commission may approve, deny or continue any case with modifications, according to the procedures set forth in the Zoning and Development Code. Check the Submittal Deadlines and Hearing Dates schedule for dates and time of meetings. The applicant MUST attend or be represented in person, even if the request is proposed for the consent agenda by both staff and decision-making body.

Action Letter: A letter describing the decision-making bodies action will be sent to both "owner" and "applicant" after the meeting.

Appeal: If the decision-making body denies the request, the applicant may file a formal appeal or that action is final. To do so, a written appeal should be submitted to the Development Services Department or City Clerk by 5:00 pm, with a copy and appropriate fee made payable to the "City of Tempe", within fourteen (14) calendar days of the action.

City Council Hearing(s): If your request includes a General Plan Amendment, Zoning Map Amendment, Planned Area Development Overlay, or Historic Overlay District, your request will be forwarded to City Council. Most cases will hold an "introduction and first hearing" at Council. This is a legal formality which sets the 2nd Public Hearing (action) date at least 2 weeks later. (The applicant need not attend the introduction, but will receive a staff report in the mail.) Some cases will not require a public hearing (only a hearing), and thus do not need introduction. The applicant MUST attend the (public) hearing or be represented in person, even if the request is proposed for the consent agenda by both staff and Council.

Note: Public information sheets on various special aspects of the above process, in addition to copies of the Zoning and Development Code and Subdivision Ordinances and the Tempe General Plan are available at the Development Services Department.

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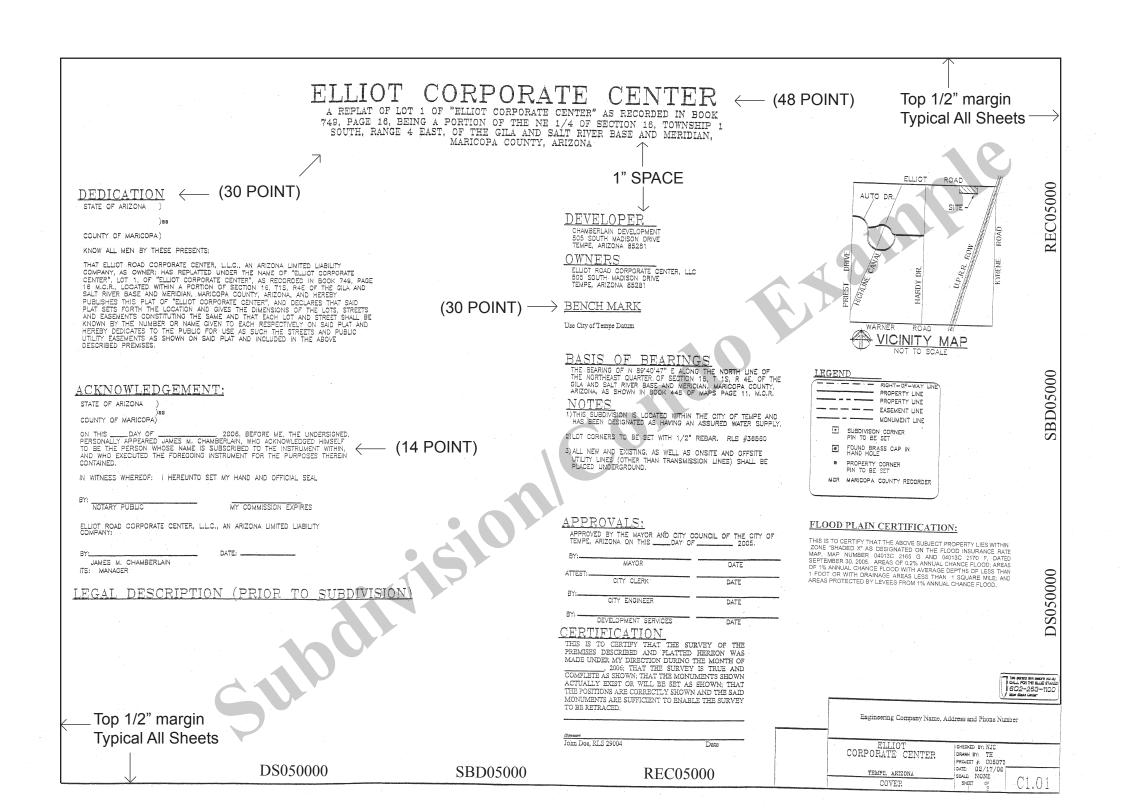


LETTER OF EXPLANATION

SUBDIVISION / CONDOMINIUM PLAT

The letter shall describe the requested plat and its intent. The request **must** comply with the following pursuant to City Code, Chapter 30, Subdivisions:

- a. Every subdivision shall conform to the requirements and objectives of the general plan, or any parts thereof, as adopted by the commission and the city council.
- b. Every subdivision shall conform to the requirements of the Zoning and Development Code and to other ordinances and regulations of the city, and to the Arizona Revised Statutes.
- c. Land which is subject to periodic flooding, land which cannot be properly drained, or other land which, in the opinion of the city, is unsuitable for any use shall not be subdivided; except that the city may approve subdivision of such land upon receipt of evidence from the city engineer that the construction of specific improvements can be expected to render the land suitable; thereafter, construction upon such land shall be prohibited until the specified improvements have been planned and construction guaranteed.



MAP RECORDATION CRITERIA

The following criteria must be met in order for maps to be accepted by the Maricopa County Recorder's Office. *This is not inclusive and we reserve the right to reject any maps not meeting the ARS guidelines.

**This refers to maps other than those that are 8 ½" X 14" or smaller

GENERA	L CRITER	IA:
>	MATERIA	L-Must be printed on Polyester of Linen (mylar) per
	ARS 11-481	
		TICITY – Must be original map or photographic copy of map. (please see criteria for signature) ARS 11-481-B
	DO NOT U	SE DIAZO per ARS 11-481-B
		ended to test copies with kit.
>		ust contain title indicating:
Applitude and the second secon		o type of map or plat
		 name of subdivision or a description of the location of the area by section, township & range Name of the owner of record of the property being
•		surveyed Per ARS 11-481-A
	Examples:	Record of Survey of Sec. 17, T 21N, R 07E Owner: John and Mary Smith
		Final Plat of Cheshire Estates Unit 3 in Sec. 5, T 21 N, R 07E Owner: J. Smith Development
		 A place for the recorders information and seal block on the sheet.
>		SIGNATURE - All seals and signature's must be original -480-A3 and in black ink to ensure quality reproduction.
`		ik may be accepted)
	,	Y – All maps must be sufficiently legible to <u>reproduce</u>
		microfiche images and contain at least 11 point type per ARS
		will not be able to accept maps for recordation that have:
		markings that are lighter than the rest of the map, maps

TYPE SPECIFIC CRITERIA:

≥ 24" X 36 Drawn to accurate scale with at least 11pt. type with left margin of 2 inches Approvals by governing body of City or County with original signatures: per ARS 9-475; ARS 9-478 Authorization from Water Commission received by Recorder's Office (Unless in exempt area: City of Flagstaff) Per ARS 45-108 RECORD OF SURVEY or any other map 18" X 24" or 24" X 36" Drawn to accurate scale with at least 11Pt type with left margin of 2 inches Parcel not split into more than 5 lots Exceptions: Lots are 36 acres or more per ARS 32-2101

All other maps may be recorded if they are letter or legal size on paper or polyester. They will be treated as regular recordings.

Exceptions:

Maps required to be recorded by the director of water resources under ARS 45-401 through ARS 45-704